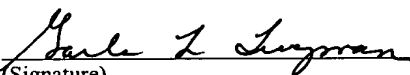


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In response to the official action mailed January 15, 2003, the Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks. Applicant requests a three-month extension of time to respond. Our check number 327120 in the amount of \$1,678 (\$930 for payment of the three-month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)) accompanies this paper. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to our deposit account number 10-0435 with reference to our matter number 19763-82069.

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